

OKLAHOMA STATE IS PROSPERING, SAYS J. J. DUNN

Member of First Supreme Court Visits Here.

Oklahoma is the most prosperous state in the union at this time, in the opinion of Jess J. Dunn, member of the first supreme court of the state, who says he has come from a good state, California, to a better one, Oklahoma, to pay his annual visit to his large circle of friends. He arrived in Oklahoma City yesterday and will leave tomorrow for Tulsa, after which he will go to his former home at Alba.

"Oklahoma is the most prosperous state in the union at this time," said Mr. Dunn at the Lee-Huckins hotel today, "and even though I live in a good state, I know that Oklahoma is a better one." Mr. Dunn is engaged in the practice of law at Oakland, California.

Tells of Shipbuilding.

"We are very busy building ships for the government at Oakland, the entire dock system being one ship after another and in each of the slips, a ship is being built. The men are working in three shifts of eight hours each to complete them at as early a date as possible," said Mr. Dunn today.

"All night long the rays of the searchlight by which the men are working may be seen on the sky line, and I see nothing but defeat for the submarines if the other sea port towns of the country are building as many ships as are being constructed at the Oakland docks."

Proud of the City.

"I am proud of Oklahoma City, and every time I come here I see great advancement. I don't believe there is a more up-to-the-minute city in the United States and I watch with great pleasure the newspaper reports of Oklahoma City 'going over the top' in everything it is asked to do to aid the government in the conduct of the war."

Judge Samuel W. Hayes will give a dinner at his home tonight in honor of Mr. Dunn. Members of the first supreme court and of the present supreme court will be honor guests.

Adoption of Orphan Boys In Army Urged

Chickasha Woman Asks That Women Write to Lads, and Be a "Mother" to Them.

CHICKASHA, Okla., Dec. 7.—(Special.)—The orphan boys in the army stationed near here are going to be "adopted" if the plans of Mrs. W. S. Richards materialize.

Not that Mrs. Richards intends to adopt all the orphan boys in the army, according to law, but more in the nature of a "spiritual adoption." Mrs. Richards' idea is to get as many women as possible to carry on correspondence with the orphan soldiers, give them nice, newsy letters from "home," favor them with advice and counsel, in short, to be a "mother" to them to the extent of giving them as much "home influence" as is possible by mail. While it is not compulsory, it is suggested that little gifts and remembrances be sent them from time to time in the way of candy, tobacco, etc. Mrs. Richards is prepared to furnish a list of orphan boys in the various camps in this section.

Casey's Care.

Mrs. Casey—My sister writes me that every bottle in that box was sent her was broken. Are ye sure ye printed "This side up with care" on it?

Casey—Oh am. An' for fear that shouldn't see it on the top 'ol printed it on the bottom as well.

PROBLEMS OF THE HEART

DEAR MRS. THOMPSON: (1) I am a girl of 15. Do you think I am too young to have boys of 20 take me to nice places?

(2) Should girls use cold cream on their faces?

(3) How old should a girl be before she becomes deeply in love?

(4) I perspire violently on my face and on my nose especially. This causes me to be embarrassed when in company. Please advise me what to do to get rid of this plague.

(5) Would you advise me to take violin lessons or continue piano lessons? I like violin music very much.

THANK YOU.

(1) You are too young to go with boys.

(2) Cold cream, if it is a good cream, keeps the skin soft and clean, and it also helps prevent sunburn and freckles. Girls should use it.

(3) Deep love comes at various ages. Boys and girls change in their likes and dislikes in their early twenties and so it is scarcely wise for them to consider love seriously before they are at least twenty.

(4) Use a little borax in the water in which you bathe the face. Carry a cosmetic and apply a good powder when you feel uncomfortable. It would be wise to stop the perspiration entirely.

(5) If you are very fond of the violin, I would advise you to take violin lessons. A girl finds that she has more use for her ability at the piano than she does with the violin. Piano music is complete alone, while the violin needs an accompaniment.

Dear Mrs. Thompson: My cousin has a girl friend who is very nice, but she is not nearly as interesting and I do not believe I would care to go with her all

AMERICAN FLYER ESCAPES AFTER 72 DAYS BEHIND GERMAN LINES



Lieut. Patrick O'Brien in Front of His Flyer.

This American member of the British royal flying corps was reported missing last August. He turned up in England a few days ago with his Celtic smile and a story of his escape from the Germans, who held him prisoner, by jumping from a moving prisoner train. By swimming rivers, walking long distances and circumventing charged-wire entanglements, he made his way to Holland.

He spent seventy-two days in all behind the German lines, after falling 8,000 feet with his disabled airplane after a fight with four German airmen.

WARTIME RECIPE FOR GRAY HAIR

How to Make an Inexpensive Mixture That Will Darken Streaked or Faded Gray Hair.

Gray, streaked or faded hair can be immediately made black, brown or light brown, whichever shade you desire, by the use of the following remedy that you can make at home.

Merely get a small box of Orlex powder at any drug store. It costs only 25 cents, and no extras to buy. Dissolve it in one ounce of water and comb it through the hair. Full directions for use come in each box. You need not hesitate to use Orlex, as a \$100,000 gold bond comes in each box guaranteeing the user that Orlex powder does not contain silver, lead, zinc, sulphur, mercury, aniline, coal-tar products or their derivatives. It does not rub off, is not sticky or gummy and leaves the hair fluffy. It will make a gray haired person look twenty years younger.—Adv.

FINE FOR RHEUMATISM!

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You'll know why thousands use Musterole once you experience the glad relief it gives.

Get a jar at once from the nearest drug store. It is a clean, white ointment, made with the oil of mustard. Better than a mustard plaster and does not blister. Brings ease and comfort while it is being rubbed on!

Musterole is recommended by many doctors and nurses. Millions of jars are used annually for bronchitis, croup, stiff neck, asthma, neuralgia, pleurisy, rheumatism, lumbago, pains and aches of the back or joints, sprains, sore muscles, bruises, chilblains, frost-bitten feet, colds of the chest (it often prevents pneumonia). 30c and 60c jars; hospital size \$2.50



Amazing Power of Bon-Opto To Make Weak Eyes Strong

Doctor Says It Strengthens Eyesight 50 per cent. in One Week's Time in Many Instances

A Free Prescription You Can Have Filled and Use at Home.

Victims of eye strain and other eye weaknesses and those who wear glasses will be glad to know that according to Dr. Lewis there is real hope and help for them. Many whose eyes were failing may have had their eyes restored by this remarkable prescription and many who once wore glasses say they have thrown them away. One man says, after using it: "I was almost blind. Could not see to read at all. Now I can read everything without my glasses, and my eyes do not hurt any more. At night they would pain dreadfully. Now they feel fine all the time. It was like a miracle to me." A lady who used it says: "The atmosphere seemed hazy with my without glasses, but after using this prescription for fifteen days everything seems clear. I can read even fine print without glasses." Another who used it says: "I was bothered with eye strain caused by overworked, tired eyes, which induced fierce headaches. I have worn glasses for several years, both for distance and work, and without them I could not read my own name on an envelope or the typewriting on the machine before me. I can do both now and have discarded my long distance glasses altogether. I can count the fluttering leaves on the trees across the street now, which for several years have looked like a dim green blur to me. I cannot express my joy at what it has done for me."

that I could go, although I would like to be in a school play and the actors are going to have a banquet. She has to take somebody and she don't know who to take. She asked my cousin if I would care to go. I really would like to go to the banquet, but I do not want to put myself in a position so that the girl thinks I like her better than I do. Should I refuse her invitation?

I told my cousin I couldn't answer her right away because I wasn't sure

SCOUT.

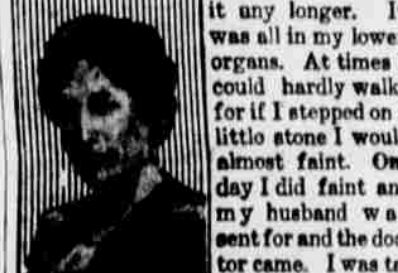
You can accept the girl's invitation in this case without putting yourself under obligation to her. If you go, you will be doing her a kindness, since she does not know whom to take, and you will have a good time as well.

FOUR WEEKS IN HOSPITAL

No Relief—Mrs. Brown Finally Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Cleveland, Ohio.—"For years I suffered so sometimes it seemed as though I could not stand it any longer. It was all in my lower organs. At times I could hardly walk, for if I stepped on a little stone I would almost faint. One day I did faint and my husband was sent for and the doctor came. I was taken to the hospital and stayed four weeks but when I came home I would faint just the same and had the same pains."

A friend who is a nurse asked me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I began taking it that very day for I was suffering a great deal. It has already done me more good than the hospital. To anyone who is suffering as I was my advice is to stop in the first drug-store and get a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound before you go home."—Mrs. W. C. Brown, 324 W. 12th St. Cleveland, Ohio.



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I was badly ruptured while lifting a trunk several years ago. Doctors said my only hope of cure was an operation. Trusses did me no good. Finally I got hold of something that quickly and completely cured me. Years have passed and the rupture has never returned, although I am doing hard work as a carpenter. There was no operation, no rest time, no trouble. I have nothing to sell, but will give full information about how you may find a complete cure without operation. If you write to me, Eugene M. Pullen, Carpenter, 750-D Marcelus Avenue, Manhattan, N. Y. I will cut out this notice and show it to any others who are ruptured—you may save a life or at least stop the misery of rupture and the worry and danger of an operation.—Adv.

Cured His RUPTURE

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A New Kind of a Christmas for the Boys

The real boys have voted to cut out the "jimmies" and "fold-er-ols" this Christmas, and all approve heartily of a good, old-fashioned, practical "B. & M." Christmas.

The "B. & M." offers so many things for every mother's son from infants to those of 18 years, and everything it offers is a worthy gift.

A whole floor teeming with Christmas goods and Christmas cheer—everything so handily arranged and displayed in a manner that will facilitate and expedite shopping.

Only a few suggestions are offered here.

To start off with, we doubt if there is a boy in Oklahoma who wouldn't appreciate a B. & M. Suit (\$5 to \$22.50), or any of the following:

Nearly anything selected from this list. Suits and Overcoats, \$5 to \$22.50 up; Boys' Cowboy Suits, \$1 to \$10; Boy Scout Suits; Boys' Mufflers, \$1.50 and \$2; Boys' Knit Toques, 50c, 75c, \$1; Silk Windsor Ties, 25c; Gauntlet Gloves, 75c; Madras Shirts and Waists, 60c up; Pajamas, 75c up; Boys' Silk Shirts, \$3.50 and \$4; Tie and Belt Sets, 50c; White Handkerchiefs in box, 50c; Coat Sweaters, \$2 up; Boy Scout Shoes; Boys' Ties (holiday boxes), 25c and 50c; Mackinaw Suits, \$5 and \$10; Boys' Bath Robes; Boys' Indian Suits, Boys' Military Suits, Boys' Regulation Hats; Fur-Collared Overcoats, \$8.50.

Boys' Black Cat Stockings, 35c, 3 for \$1.

Little Girls' Union Suits, 69c.

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Sewing Tables, \$8.50 Up

Colonial Clocks \$65.00 to \$150.00

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